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Washington, D.C. 20231

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. §§1.56, 1.97 and 1.98**

Sir:

Applicant, in order to meet his duty of disclosure, set forth at 37 C.F.R. §1.56, submits herewith those references which he deems relevant to the claims of the present application.

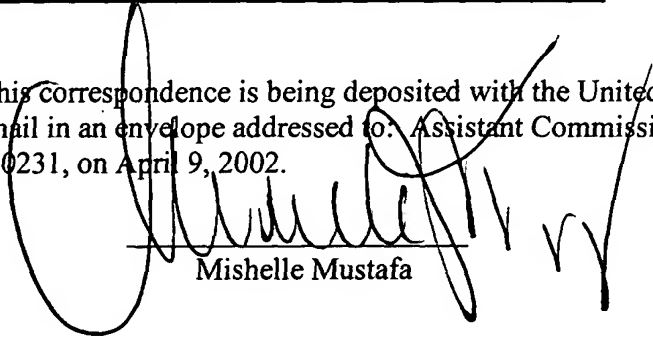
The relevant references are as follows:

1. U.S. Patent No. 4,451,491 (to Trop et al.)
- 2.. U.S. Patent No. 5,492,710 (to Seyam)
3. EP 0 035 978 (Sidoti)
4. EP 0 642 737 (Woestelandt)

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It is noted that in the case of EP 0 642 737, said patent publication is in French.


Applicant is also submitting a copy of an International Search Report issued in connection with a corresponding PCT application which identifies the significance of said reference, as well as the remaining patent publications which are in the English language.

Applicant respectfully requests that the above-mentioned references be made of record in the file of the present application. To that end, applicant submits herewith the aforementioned references and the completed Form PTO-1449, setting forth these references.

Applicant submits that the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement is within three months of the filing date of the subject application. Therefore, no Declaration or fee is required to effect the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Consideration of this Information Disclosure Statement is respectfully requested, since the information provided herein may be material to the patentability of the subject application as defined in 37 C.F.R. §1.56.

Respectfully submitted,



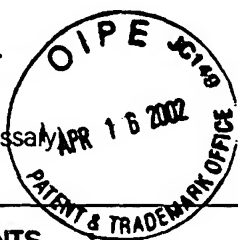
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| | AA | 4,451,491 | 05/29/84 | Trop, et al. | | | |
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37 CFR 1.97(b)

1. ☒ The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed within three months of the filing of a national application; within three months of the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; or before the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever event occurs last.

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2. ☐ The Information Disclosure Statement submitted herewith is being filed after three months of the filing of a national application, or the date of entry of the national stage as set forth in 37 CFR 1.491 in an international application; or after the mailing date of a first Office Action on the merits, whichever occurred last but before the mailing date of either:
1. a Final Action under 37 CFR 1.113, or
 2. a Notice of Allowance under 37 CFR 1.311,
- whichever occurs first.

Also submitted herewith is:

- ☐ a certification as specified in 37 CFR 1.97(e);

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- ☐ the fee set forth in 37 CFR 1.17(p) for submission of an Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97(c).

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